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IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA

JOSEPH J. GONZALEZ,

Plaintiffs,

vs.

COUNTY OF SAN BENITO,
SHERIFF CURTIS HILL,
LIEUTENANT EDWARD
ESCAMILLA, and OFFICER
CYNDEE COLMAN,

Defendants.

Case No. C06-04369 RS

**STIPULATION AND ORDER EXTENDING
DEADLINE TO COMPLETE EARLY
NEUTRAL EVALUATION**

Pursuant to the November 21, 2006 Case Management Scheduling Order, the Early Neutral Evaluation was to have been completed within ninety (90) days from November 2, 2006, or by January 31, 2007.

On December 5, 2006, counsel received the ADR Case Administrator's Notice of Appointment of Evaluator assigning Anthony M. Boskovich as the Early Neutral Evaluator for this case.

On December 12, 2006, defense counsel wrote to Claudia M. Forehand, ADR Case Administrator, advising that it objected to the appointment of Mr. Boskovich due to a conflict of interest.

A new Evaluator is going to be appointed but the ADR Program request that the

parties seek additional time to have the case evaluated to accommodate the new evaluator's calendar. The ADR program suggest a March 2007 cutoff.

ACCORDINGLY, IT IS HEREBY STIPULATED BY AND BETWEEN THE PARTIES THAT:

1. The new deadline for completion of the Early Neutral Evaluation is March 23, 2007.

Dated: January 3, 2007 LAW OFFICES OF MICHAEL E. ADAMS

By: /s/ Michael E. Adams
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JOSEPH J. GONZALEZ

Dated: January 3, 2007 RANKIN, LANDSNESS, LAHDE,
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ORDER

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that the new deadline for completion of the Early Neutral Evaluation is March 23, 2007.

DATED: January 4, 2007


RICHARD SEEBORG
United States Magistrate Judge